GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Panchayat Raj and Rural Development Department – Gram Panchayats - Village Secretariat System in Gram Panchayats in the State - Panchayat Secretaries Grade-V - Release of stipend for newly recruited Panchayat Secretaries Grade-V where they are posted additionally in the other Panchayats in the same Village Secretariat area - Orders –Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (MDL-I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 347 **Dated: 14-02-2020**

Read the following:-

1.G.O.Ms.No.110,PR &RD (MDL-I)Dept.,dt.19.07.2019.
2.Govt.Memo.No.PRR02-14021(46)/52/2019 Mdl.1Dated.26-7-2019.
3.G.O.Ms.No.153,PR &RD(MDL-I)Dept.,dt.04.10.2019.
4.G.O.Ms.No.02,PR &RD(MDL-I)Dept.,dt.06.01.2020.
5.From the Commissioner, PR &RD, e-file No.PRR02-12021/4/2020-CAO-COMMR-PRRD(Computer No. 1095420).

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ORDER:-

In the reference 1st read above, Government have established 11,114 Village Secretariats for every 2000 population for 13,065 Gram Panchayats and permitted the Commissioner, Panchayat Raj and Rural Development in order to have effective delivery systems in the villages, with an aim to improve living standards of the people through the concept of Navarathnaalu.

2. In the references 2nd & 3rd read above, Government have issued orders, partially modifying the orders issued in the reference 1st read above, have permitted the Commissioner, Panchayat Raj and Rural Development to establish 11,158 Village Secretariats and to recruit 95,088 functional assistants.

3. Further, in the reference 4th read above, Government have issued a clarificatory orders to G.O.No.110, duly indicating the number of posts of Panchayat Secretaries are as 13,065 i.e., that one Panchayat Secretary per each of the Gram Panchayat in the State) and number of posts that are to be created in the cadre of Panchayat Secretary Grade-V. Accordingly, the recruitment process has been completed and 6,979 Panchayat Secretaries Grade-V has been recruited and positioned them in newly created Village Secretariats along with 7,092 existing functioning Panchayat Secretaries Grade -I to Grade – IV. After the exercise the left over vacancies of 61 has been given to Village Secretariat phase-2 recruitment as detailed below:

(a) Requirement of new sanctioned posts in Grade-V - 4,322

(b) Addl., Posts required in GPs with Multiple Village Secretariats- - 1,800

Total 6,122

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5. Subsequent to completion of the recruitment and positioning of newly recruited Panchayat Secretaries Grade-V and existing functioning Panchayat Secretaries Grade-I to Grade-IV, following situation emerged,

a. Existing Panchayat Secretaries Grade-I to Grade-IV have been accommodated without disturbing their working Village Secretariat headquarters as far as possible.

b. There is one newly recruited Panchayat Secretary Grade-V in each of the Village Secretariat.

c. Where more that one Gram Panchayat has to be clubbed to constitute one Village Secretariat due to less population or to be coterminous with the Revenue Village, more than one Panchayat Secretary Grade-V has been accommodated to cater to the administrative needs of every existing Gram Panchayats in the State.

6. When, Commissioner, Panchayat Raj and Rural Development has initiated steps to release stipend of Rs. 15,000/- to the newly recruited Panchayat Secretary Grade- V, a certain problem has been encountered with the Treasury Authorities in payment of stipend where the existence of more than one Panchayat Secretary Grade – V.

7. Government after careful examination of the circumstances reported in the reference 5th read above, hereby accord permission to the following and to issue suitable direction to Director of Treasuries & Accounts to make payments to Panchayat Secretaries working in Village secretariats where more than one Panchayat Secretary is working in a Village Secretariat that,

a. Stipend shall also be paid to the Panchayat Secretaries Grade-V, where they are posted additionally in the other Panchayats in the same Village Secretariat area by the concerned Village Secretariat only.

b. Panchayat Secretary of the concerned Village Secretariat is designated as the DDO for drawing and disbursement of the stipend to the other Panchayath Secretaries Grade. V also (where there are more than one Panchayat Secretaries Grade.V working in the same Village Secretariat area), duly obtaining required duty certificate.

8. The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development, Tadepalli, Guntur shall take further necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

GOPAL KRISHNA DWIVEDI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development, Tadepalli, Guntur.
The Special Commissioner, Department of Gram Volunteers/ Ward Volunteers and Village Secretariats/Ward Secretariats.
The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, Vijayawada, A.P.

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The PS to Hon'ble Minister, PR &RD, M&G Department, AP Secretariat, Velagapudi.
The PS to Principal Secretary, PR&RD Department, AP Secretariat, Velagapudi.
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